

PER 294: Testing an Emergency Operations Plan in a Rural EOC

PER 294 is a DHS/FEMA-certified, 8-hour, tuition-free, performance-level course designed with a proactive approach to testing the Emergency Operations Plans (EOPs) of rural communities in an Emergency Operations Center (EOC) environment. EOPs are all-hazard plans developed for use by state and local jurisdictions to ensure a coordinated and effective response to natural, technological, or man-made disasters that may occur within an area. It serves as the “game plan” for those who will be tasked with responding to an incident. Testing these plans on a routine basis is critical to their effectiveness.

Topics covered will help participants to:

- Articulate the value of exercising an EOP.
- Describe the Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program (HSEEP).
- Prepare an EOC for testing.
- Given a particular scenario, select an exercise type that best meets a jurisdiction’s requirements.
- Develop an exercise aligned with the HSEEP standards.
- Simulate role of an assigned EOC position

Who should attend:

- Law Enforcement
- Fire Service
- Healthcare
- Emergency Management Personnel
- Community Mental Health Personnel
- Community Stakeholders



Location:

Address:

Sponsoring Agency

Course Date:

Course Time:

Course Registration Deadline (date/time):

Prerequisites:

Non-U.S. citizens are required to complete a DHS Foreign National Visitor Request form 30 days in advance. Contact RDPC at 877-855-RDPC (7372) for more info.

Registration is **required** through the **RDPC website**. Register for this course by visiting the following link:

Register **no later than 2 weeks** before the course date. A **minimum of 20 registrations** must be received by this date to ensure the class will be held.

FEMA S.I.D. REQUIRED. Register for your FEMA Student Identification Number by visiting <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid>

For more information regarding this course, please contact the following:

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